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Patent No.: 6,953,142  
Inventor(s): Pingilley, et. al.  
Issued: October 11, 2005  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LOCATING AND HOLDING A FLANGE  
Docket No.: P06362US00

**Re: Request for Certificate of Correction**

Consideration has been given your request for the issuance of a certificate of correction for the above-identified patent under the provisions of Rule(s) 1.322 and or 1.323.

Granting of a petition under 37 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 1.183, requesting the requirements of 37 CFR 3.81 to be waived, is required to correct applicant's error in the Assignee (see Manual of Patent Examining Procedures (M.P.E.P) Chp.1400, sect. 1481, pgs.1400-64). Such a petition is required, when the *correct* assignee's name *and/or* address *was not provided* in accordance with either section 3.81(a) or (b) (either no data or an incorrect data, i.e. typographical, misspelling, ...), was provided in item 5 of the Issue Fee Transmittal (PTOL-85b), when the assignment had been recorded or submitted for recordation at the time the issue fee was paid or when an incorrect name was provided in the petition required by section 3.81(b) when the assignment submitted for recording after the date of payment of the issue fee, but prior to issuance of the patent). This procedure is required at *any* time after the issue fee is paid, including after issuance of the patent.

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- (1) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.117(h) (currently \$130);
- (2) the correct name and address of the assignee; and
- (3) the reel and frame number where the assignment(s) is recorded or proof of the date the assignment was submitted for recordation.

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TITLE: SAFETY BARRIER AND METHOD FOR USING SAME

SERIAL NUMBER: 10654089

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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LOCATING AND HOLDING A FLANGE

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SERIAL NUMBER: 10445780 FILING DATE: 05/27/2003  
PATENT NUMBER: ISSUE DATE:  
TITLE: ROTATIONAL FLASH GUARD AND METHOD OF USE

SERIAL NUMBER: 10315536 FILING DATE: 12/10/2002  
PATENT NUMBER: ISSUE DATE:  
TITLE: WORK PIECE HOLDER HAVING TOP MOUNTED ROBOT AND METHOD OF USE

SERIAL NUMBER: 09703017 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 6776082 ISSUE DATE: 08/17/2004  
TITLE: FLUID POWERED ROTARY INDEXER

SERIAL NUMBER: 08758486 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 5873569 ISSUE DATE: 02/23/1999  
TITLE: WORKPIECE POSITIONER

SERIAL NUMBER: 08363389 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 5489759 ISSUE DATE: 02/06/1996  
TITLE: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ALIGNING A TOOL HELD BY A ROBOT

SERIAL NUMBER: 08401274 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 5521355 ISSUE DATE: 05/28/1996  
TITLE: WELDING TORCH ASSEMBLY AND METHOD

SERIAL NUMBER: 07040035 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 4778976 ISSUE DATE: 10/18/1988  
TITLE: WELDING NOZZLE CLEANER APPARATUS

SERIAL NUMBER: 08223717 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 5399837 ISSUE DATE: 03/21/1995  
TITLE: WIRE BRAKE FOR ROBOTIC WELDING TORCH

SERIAL NUMBER: 08596688 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 5704601 ISSUE DATE: 01/06/1998  
TITLE: POSITIONING TABLE

SERIAL NUMBER: 09211585 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 6023045 ISSUE DATE: 02/08/2000  
TITLE: TORCH REAMER AND METHOD FOR USING SAME

SERIAL NUMBER: 09320936 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 6282847 ISSUE DATE: 09/04/2001  
TITLE: WORKCELL DOOR AND WALL ASSEMBLY

SERIAL NUMBER: 29106322 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: D418229 ISSUE DATE: 12/28/1999  
TITLE: WORKCELL DOOR AND WALL PANEL

SERIAL NUMBER: 09470699 FILING DATE:  
PATENT NUMBER: 6142854 ISSUE DATE: 11/07/2000  
TITLE: DEBURRING SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR USING SAME

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SERIAL NUMBER: 09425567	FILING DATE:
PATENT NUMBER: 6276284	ISSUE DATE: 08/21/2001
TITLE: SIDE-BY-SIDE ROBOT WORKCELL	
SERIAL NUMBER: 09478226	FILING DATE:
PATENT NUMBER: 6394189	ISSUE DATE: 05/28/2002
TITLE: ZERO GRAVITY ROBOTIC SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR USING SAME	
SERIAL NUMBER: 09492443	FILING DATE:
PATENT NUMBER: 6314686	ISSUE DATE: 11/13/2001
TITLE: LIGHT SEAL FOR USE WITH ROBOTIC EQUIPMENT	
SERIAL NUMBER: 09519046	FILING DATE:
PATENT NUMBER: 6317994	ISSUE DATE: 11/20/2001
TITLE: ROBOT ALIGNMENT APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR USING SAME	
SERIAL NUMBER: 07521414	FILING DATE:
PATENT NUMBER: 5083070	ISSUE DATE: 01/21/1992
TITLE: INDEX TABLE WITH CENTER MOUNTED ROBOT ARM	
SERIAL NUMBER: 09655099	FILING DATE:
PATENT NUMBER: 6375178	ISSUE DATE: 04/23/2002
TITLE: DUAL CYLINDER WORK PIECE POSITIONER	
SERIAL NUMBER: 09785651	FILING DATE:
PATENT NUMBER: 6450490	ISSUE DATE: 09/17/2002
TITLE: QUICK CHANGE TOOLING FOR ROBOTIC WORK STATION	
SERIAL NUMBER: 10114836	FILING DATE:
PATENT NUMBER: 6708956	ISSUE DATE: 03/23/2004
TITLE: BREAK AWAY BARRIER AND METHOD FOR USING SAME	
SERIAL NUMBER: 09717762	FILING DATE:
PATENT NUMBER: 6360904	ISSUE DATE: 03/26/2002
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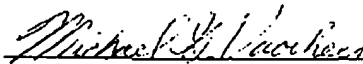
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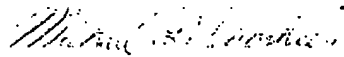
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